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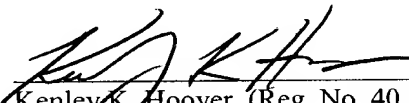
The above-identified patent application is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/244,112, filed February 4, 1999. The sequence listing of the instant application is identical to the sequence content of the computer readable sequence listing filed in connection with application Serial No. 09/244,112, on February 4, 2000.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e), please use the computer readable form filed in connection with application Serial No. 09/244,112 as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included in the specification of the instant application filed herewith. Applicants hereby certify that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith and the computer readable sequence listing filed on February 4, 2000 in connection with application Serial No. 09/244,112 are the same and do not include new matter.

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